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Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time to respond to the Patent Office Action.

Enclosed with this petition is a Request for Continued Examination including the After Final Amendment filed September 6, 2005 which serves as a complete response to the Office Action dated July 5, 2005. The three-month period expired October 5, 2005, and this petition is therefore filed within the first month thereafter.

The application is filed by a small business entity. A Small Entity Declaration to that effect was filed November 12, 2003, and small entity status is still proper in this application.

Therefore, a credit card authorization for sixty (\$60) Dollars representing the one month extension fee is enclosed. If there is any additional fee due, please charge such fee to Deposit Account No. 19-1453 (Our File No. Triple Crown 102-1189).

Respectfully submitted,

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